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TAGS: PFOR, CPRS, BF

SUBJECT: VESCO EXTRADITION

1. IN EXTRADITION PROCEEDING IN NASSAU WHICH IS LARGELY GOVERNED BY BRITISH LAW DEFENSE IS CALLING AS AN EXPERT WITNESS ON A QUESTION OF LAW AN INDIVIDUAL WHO ATTENDED THE EXTRADITION PROCEEDING WHEN THE GOVERNMENT'S CASE WAS BEING PRESENTED ON THE ISSUE OF LAW UPON WHICH HE IS BEING ASKED TO TESTIFY. THUS HE WILL BE FAVORED BY HAVING HEARD TESTIMONY OF A U.S. GOVERNMENT EXPERT WITNESS BEFORE HIMSELF TESTIFYING.

2. JUSTICE DEPARTMENT HAS REQUESTED THAT EMBASSY INQUIRE OF DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PROSECUTIONS AS TO WHETHER BRITISH LAW PROVIDES FOR DISQUALIFICATION OF AN EXPERT WITNESS IN AN EXTRADITION PROCEEDING IN CIRCUMSTANCES DESCRIBED PARA 1. IF SO CITATIONS TO APPROPRIATE STATUTE OR CASE LAW WOULD BE ESSENTIAL.

3. DEFENSE PRESENTATION BEGAN TODAY AND WILL CONTINUE IN ALL PROBABILITY FOR AT LEAST ONE MORE DAY BUT CHALLENGE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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TO DEFENSE EXPERT WITNESS COULD COME UP AT ANY TIME.

THEREFORE REQUEST IMMEDIATE CABLE RESPONSE FOR BOTH
NASSAU AND DEPARTMENT. KISSINGER

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